**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC** is hereby given that the following ballot title has been certified by Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State, to be voted upon in the Special Election to be held on November 7, 2006. The ballot shall submit to the voters the following proposition:

## (Popular Name) ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY AND FACILITY IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2005

(Ballot Title)

## ISSUANCE OF STATE OF ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND PLEDGE OF FULL FAITH AND CREDIT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

Authorizing the Arkansas Development Finance Authority to issue State of Arkansas Higher Education General Obligation Bonds (the "bonds") in a total principal amount not to exceed two hundred fifty million dollars (\$250,000,000) in one (1) or more series from time to time for the purpose of financing the cost of developing technology and facility improvement projects for state institutions of higher education and financing the cost of refunding bonds issued under the Arkansas College Savings Bond Act of 1989. However, that the outstanding principal amount of bonds issued under the Arkansas Higher Education Technology and Facility Improvement Act of 2005 and the Arkansas College Savings Bond Act of 1989 shall not have scheduled debt service payments on a combined basis in excess of twenty-four million dollars (\$24,000,000) in any one (1) fiscal year.

The bonds shall be general obligations of the State of Arkansas, payable from general revenues of the state and also secured by the full faith and credit of the State of Arkansas, including its general revenues. The bonds shall be issued pursuant to the authority of and the terms set forth in the

Arkansas Higher Education Technology and Facility Improvement Act of 2005.

**FOR** issuance of State of Arkansas Higher Education General Obligation Bonds and Pledge the Full Faith and Credit of the State of Arkansas.

**AGAINST** issuance of State of Arkansas Higher Education General Obligation Bonds and Pledge the Full Faith and Credit of the State of Arkansas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the office of the Secretary of State on this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 2006.

CHARLIE DANIELS SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF ARKANSAS